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Bill Summary

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Overview

This bill modifies priced lanes, known as MnPASS lanes, to limit the prohibition on crossing double white lines and restrict the times of day when a fee can be imposed on I-35W.

Section

- 1 Priced lanes; general requirements.** Prevents MnDOT from prohibiting, outside of the times when a fee is imposed, crossing double white lanes that mark a MnPASS (priced) highway lane. Under the change, a prohibition on crossing the lines can only be in effect during those times when a toll is charged.
- 2 Priced lanes; I-35W.** Limits the allowable hours for imposing a fee to use the MnPASS lane along any segment of I-35W from the I-35E/I-35E split to I-94, to be no longer than:
 - 6 a.m. to 9 a.m. in the morning; and
 - 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. in the afternoon and evening.